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HOUSE RESOLUTION No. ____

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A RESOLUTION honoring the Gibson Southern High School Theatre Department.

Whereas, The Gibson Southern High School Theatre Department was named the state champion of the International Thespian Society's Indiana State Conference;

Whereas, The International Thespian Society's Indiana State Conference was held on Sunday, March 15, at the University of Indianapolis and the troupe presented "Between Daylight and Boonville", a play directed by Matt Hart and written by Matt Williams;

Whereas, Matt Williams, the creator and producer of the

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television shows "Roseanne" and "Home Improvement" and the movies "What Women Want" and "Where the Heart Is", feels that the "theatre program helps younger participants evolve as they watch the older participants prepare over the seasons";

Whereas, The state championship entitles the Gibson Southern troupe to represent the state of Indiana at the International Thespian Festival held at the University of Nebraska-Lincoln on June 22-27;

Whereas, Several individuals were recognized for their accomplishments during the conference;

Whereas, Excellence ribbons were awarded to Jourdan Wilson for Solo Musical Experienced as well as to Sydney Hirsch and Lauren Villanueva for Duet Acting Novice;

Whereas, Superior ribbons were given to Andy Hirsch for Solo Musical Experienced, Audrey Bengert in Solo Musical Experienced, Megan Armstrong in Monologue Novice, and Hannah Spradley, Eric Croft, and Logan Lefler for Group Theatre;

Whereas, Ryan Seale received a Best in Show award for Solo Musical Novice; in Tech Olympics, Michael Frohbieter, Elise Sollman, Nolan Engels, and Nea Nixon placed third in Curtain Folding;

Whereas, Kourtney Singleton and Logan Lefler were awarded Best Supporting Actress and Actor at the state conference; and

Whereas, This victory was brought about by seven months of hard work and dedication from the cast and crew: Therefore,

Be it resolved by the House of Representatives of the General Assembly of the State of Indiana:

1 SECTION 1. That the Indiana House of Representatives
2 congratulates the Gibson Southern High School Theatre Department on
3 being selected as the state champion of the International Thespian
4 Society's Indiana State Conference and encourages members to keep up
5 the good work.



1 SECTION 2. That the Principal Clerk of the House of
2 Representatives transmit a copy of this resolution to cast members Dani
3 Shelton, Hannah Spradley, Logan Lefler, Kourtney Singleton, Eric
4 Croft, Ryan Seale, Kelsey Holder, and Kristin Brokaw, crew members
5 Michael Frohbieter and Nolan Engels, director Matt Hart, principal Dr.
6 James Isaacs, and superintendent Dr. Stacey Humbaugh.

